

Transportation Safety Division Daily Situation Report (SITREP)

SITREP no. 31.0

Date updated: February 5, 2022 6:00 PM

Next Report: February 6, 2022 9:00 AM

Situation to date: Convoy for Freedom Protest Preparation

Actions to date: Operational preparation

Actions to be completed:

- Details provided below

Other - Protest

Protest continues in Queens Park and Ottawa.

Sunday, February 6, 2022:

- Convoy from Calgary second wave departing to Ottawa
- Waterloo
- Huntsville
- Hearst
- Bracebridge
- Echo Bay
- Hanover-Walkerton
- Bolton
- Sarnia Tractor Convoy
- North Bay
- Lambton - park and block hwy 402 from 2pm to 4pm and exit at hwy 40
- Windsor – slow roll – Ambassador Bridge (unconfirmed)

For situational awareness:

Additional convoys are being reported in various areas of Ontario. Expect that there will be “pop-up” convoys throughout the province. Information may not always be received in advance due to the ad hoc and fluid nature of the protests.

Convoy for Freedom Reporting:

Date:	Region	Events:	Notes - Operational Updates and Impacts
February 5, 2022	WEST	Several convoy/protests planned within the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested. Approximately 5 Transportation Enforcement Officers scheduled in the region. Focus will be on highway patrol and will be available to assist OPP.

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			OPP is aware MTO Officers will be available upon request.
February 5, 2022	CENTRAL	Planned convoy currently continuing to move into Queens Park. Expected that protestors will be at Queens Park again tomorrow, Sunday, February 6, 2022. Additional convoy loop in Barrie from Duckworth to Bayfield Rd. Vehicles have exited highway 400 at this time. – now closed	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP. OPP will have a command post set up throughout the weekend at the Central Region Transportation Management Centre. CEIB will deploy approximately 45 Transportation Enforcement Officers tomorrow to the area to assist with traffic management and remain available to assist the OPP upon request. OPP is aware MTO Transportation Enforcement Officers will be available upon request.
February 5, 2022	EAST	Convoys continue in the City of Ottawa with additional vehicles and protestors attending today. Several convoy/protests planned within the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP. Contacted by OPP and traffic control is crew on standby should OPP request assistance. Approximately 12 Transportation Enforcement Officers scheduled in the region. Focus will be on highway patrol and will be available to assist OPP. OPP is aware MTO Officers will be available upon request
February 5, 2022	NORTHEAST	Several convoy/protests planned within the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP.
February 5, 2022	NORTHWEST	Several convoy/protests planned within the region.	MTO will assist as usual practice if requested by OPP.

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